

STATE OF MICHIGAN JOCELYN BENSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANSING

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YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS WILL CONDUCT A MEETING ON JANUARY 28, 2020 AT 2:00 P.M. AT DELTA CHARTER TOWNSHIP HALL, 7710 W. SAGINAW HWY., LANSING, MI 48917

Included on the Agenda will be:

- Consideration of meeting minutes for approval (December 27, 2019 meeting).
- Consideration of the 100-word summary of the purpose of the initiative petition sponsored by Fair and Equal Michigan, P.O. Box 10030, Lansing, MI 48901. (A copy of the summary of the purpose of the initiative petition prepared by the Director of Elections is attached to this Notice.)
- Consideration of the form of the initiative petition submitted by Fair and Equal Michigan.
- Consideration of proposed *de minimis* changes to the ES&S Voting System. (The proposed changes would update firewall firmware to address a potential vulnerability, add a second source to the system firewall for e-transmission of unofficial results, and upgrade the cradle point router firmware to add an additional layer of security for wireless e-transmission of unofficial results.)
- Recording the results of the special primary election held January 7, 2020 to determine the Democratic and Republican Party nominees for the office of State Representative, 34th District.
- Such other and further business as may be properly presented to the Board.

Jonathan Brater, Secretary
Board of State Canvassers

A person may address the Board on any agenda item at the end of the meeting. A person who wishes to address the Board on an agenda item at the time the item is being discussed must submit a written request to the Chairperson of the Board prior to the opening of the meeting. Persons addressing the Board are allotted three minutes.

People with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in this meeting should email <u>elections@michigan.gov</u> or contact Lydia Valles at (517) 241-4662.

Proposed Petition Summary prepared by Director of Elections January 24, 2020

> Initiation of Legislation – Fair and Equal Michigan

An initiation of legislation to amend Section 103 of the Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act, Public Act 453 of 1976, MCL 37.2103. The Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act prohibits discriminatory practices, policies, and customs in the exercise of civil rights. It prohibits discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodations, public service, and education because of sex, religion, or eight other reasons. Section 103 of the Act does not define "sex" or "religion." If enacted, the proposed initiated law would define "sex" as including gender, sexual orientation, and gender identity or expression; and would define "religion" as including the religious beliefs of an individual.

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